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To Broadcast Suggestions Regarding Proposed Union

A special meeting of the Student and will form the north wall of the Union Committee will be broadcast plaza. over WMIT on "This Happened Tobuilding will be publicly aired for the Reiley '55. first time.

These proposals are the result of organization in June of last year. They constitute a preview of the recommendations which, when set up To Support L.Y.L They constitute a preview of the in permanent form, will be submitted a basis for design, and to the Building Committee of the Institute. According to the Committee, it is announcing its suggestions before they are submitted for the purpose of giv- Democratic Action, has declined to ing the students an opportunity to support the Labor Youth League in voice their opinion, and in order to the current proceedings brought by change these recommendations if the Attorney General Brownell requiring students so desire. A questionnaire LYL's registration as a Communist which will poll the students on specific front. SDA stated as the reason for undecided points is now being com- its refusal that "we believe that the posed.

long-term plan to move all under- which would declare the (McCarran) graduate housing to West Campus. It Internal Security Act of 1950, under will with the auditorium being built which the LYL is expected to be cited, now and the chapel to be completed in unconstitutional. SDA stated its belief the spring of 1955, round out the that "the registration provisions of construction program on the proposed the McCarran Act violate basic preplaza across Massachusetts Avenue in cepts of our civil liberties," but did front of Building 7. It will be the last not name any current or proposed

Geologists Wanted; Course XII Dept. Holds Open House

In order to bring Geology, Geophysics and Geochemistry to the attention of more students, and to answer questions on professional careers posing this action. in these sciences, the Department of Open House on Thursday and Friday afternoons, January 21 and 22. There will be an informal meeting of interested students and members of the department in Room 24-321 between 4:00 and 5:30 p.m. each day, during which time there will be opportunity for questions and discussion over coffee and cakes. There will also be several brief tours of departmental facilities for those interested.

Due to the strong demand for both geologists and geophysicists by the petroleum and mining industries, government surveys, bureaus and laboratories and academic and research institutions, a large number of employment opportunities for both sum-(Continued on page 2)

Deutsch Returns To Institute Post For Spring Term

Dr. Karl W. Deutsch, Professor of cussion. History and Political Science at the Institute, has been invited to take part in the Bicentennial Convocation of from Wisconsin and his methods, Mr. Columbia University at New York, and in the three-day Conference on Federalism held as part of the Bicentennial program on January 11-14, 1954, at Arden House.

In February, Professor Deutsch is eturning to his teaching duties at

The committee is composed of Regday," between 7:30 and 8:00 p.m., inald W. Griffith '55, David B. Brocks today. During the session, the recom- '55, William M. Layson '56, Constanmendations of the committee concern- tine B. Simonides '56, Roy M. Salzing facilities and activity space allo- man '55, and Mitchell J. Savin '55, cations in the proposed Student Union and is headed by Chairman Eldon H.

research done by the group since its S. D. A. Declines to the Architectural Department as In Current Action

Students for Democratic Action, the student affiliate of Americans for LYL is a Communist front." At the The Student Union is part of a same time SDA called for a decision of the three structures constructed court case in which the act might be declared unconstitutional. The SDA decision was issued in a statement adopted by the SDA national board at its January meeting and released last Wednesday.

In April, 1953, Attorney General Brownell petitioned the Subversive Activities Control Board to require the registration of twelve organizations on the grounds that they are Communist front organizations. The Labor Youth League requested SDA and other youth groups to assist it in op-

If LYL is cited as a Communist Geology and Geophysics is holding an front, it will be required to register (Continued on page 3)

Student Union Comm Plans Finance Board Tentatively Votes \$1000 For WMIT Equipment; Delay In Appropriation Expected



WMIT's new turntable in operation

The Tech Photo by Gallagher

Boston Univ. Rally Nips In Closing Minutes

Memorial last Thursday, and squeezed fensively and defensively for the out a 62-59 victory over the Tech Beavers. Exhibiting speed and good basketball squad.

lead by more than 6 points. The Beav- precise offense, designed to capitalize ers enjoyed the advantage for most only on advantageous shots. Passing of the first three periods, leading after back and forth, the Beavers watched the initial stanza by 3 markers, by four at half-time and 5 at the three- BU zone defense. quarter mark. In the finale, though, the Tech field goal percentage fell way down. They did not score for 5:16 spread evenly among several men, as minutes after which they dropped but nine players hit double figures, five of two field goals through the nets.

into the starting line-up for the first

Boston University invaded Walker, time this season and excelled both ofplaymaking, Byrnes held down the Throughout the game neither team key spot in a very deliberate and for an opening to drive through the

Five Beavers in Double Figures

The scoring of the evening was them Beavers. Gifford Weber '55 re- pointed out that the list of suspects

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Vogeler Defends Sen. McCarthy's On Communism's Rise Lectures

Robert A. Vogeler 37, a prisoner for a year and a half in a Hungarian Communist jail, and author of the book "I Was Stalin's Prisoner" spoke on the problem of Communism, Friday, under the auspices of the Lecture Series Committee.

Mr. Vogeler began by describing the methods by which the Communists rose to power in Hungary and continued by describing his own arrest. trial, imprisonment, and eventual re-

But by far the liveliest section of the lecture came during the question and answer period when the methods, morals, and results achieved by Senator Joseph McCarthy of Wisconsin (commonly grouped under the heading "McCarthyism") came under dis-

In response to a question asking him what he thought of the Senator Vogeler pointed out that he had campaigned for Senator McCarthy in Wisconsin last year, and that he con- than half an hour remained before sidered the senator no more "object the end of Commons meal service), a tionable" than many other men in the number of them apparently walked Senate. Mr. Vogeler elaborated on his stand for the next 20 minutes as sev-M.I.T. after a year's leave of absence eral more questions on this topic which he spent as Visiting Professor came from the floor. During this part a Research at Princeton University. of the lecture a number of people of Senator McCarthy's actions in his



The Tech Photo by Gallagher Vogeler Lecturing

(estimated at about 25% of those present) were noticed to have left the lecture room. Although many of those who did leave undoubtedly did so because of the lateness of the hour (less out to register a protest against Mr. Vogeler's opinions,

Wechsler Case

investigation of James Wechsler, editor of the New York Post, Mr. Vogeler said that he thought that Mr. Wechsler had never really outgrown his Communist party indectrination and had shown this in his editorials for the Post, which, he said, while not overtly espousing Communist causes, in practice aided the Communists. (Mr. Wechsler was a member of the Communist party for a period of a few months during the 1930's while he was in college. He has since on many occasions stated that he has completely broken away from the party, its policies and principles.)

The main part of the lecture dealt with the mechanics of the Communists rise to power in Hungary, and of the circumstances of Mr. Vogeler's arrest, trial and imprisonment.

State of Hungary

At the close of the second world war the Hungarian economy was unstable and impoverished due partly to pillaging by the Germans as they retreated and by the Russians as they advanced, and partly to a small productive capacity which had been almost entirely devoted to war production with consequent neglect of housing and other civilian needs.

Mr. Vogeler pointed out that "peo-When questioned as to the propriety ple can't wait to eat" and that when (Continued on page 4)

Institute Committee Finance Board has tentatively approved a \$500 outright grant and a \$500 loan to station WMIT to be used to purchase equipment to replace that stolen during Christmas vacation. Finance Board's decision is subject to Institute Committee approval.

The money for both the grant and loan will come from Institute funds set aside for the use of student government. All administrative and procedural questions concerning the grant and loan will be handled entirely through student government.

According to Robert Anslow '54. head of Finance Board, the \$1000 will "probably" be allocated sometime this spring. He stated, in an interview with The Tech, that some delay would possibly be caused by doubts as to the legality of some proposed courses of action InsComm could follow.

A meeting between station officials and Mr. Malcolm Kispert, assistant to the president, was held Friday afternoon, at which Mr. Kispert referred the station to Finance Board.

Finance Board's decision was taken at a meeting held during the weekend The Cambridge police have continued to maintain an official silence

on the case.

No official meeting of Judicial Committee has been called since the end of Christmas vacation, and according to Thomas Henderson '54, head of the committee, none will be called until there is some direct evidence for it to act on, or until the questioning of witnesses would prove fruitful. For the present, Henderson said, the committee members are conducting an informal investigation individually.

Discussing the case, Henderson Senior Jack Byrnes, a guard, broke sumed his role as Tech's high scorer could by no means be limited to the 20 individuals who were in the possession of keys to WMIT's studios at the time of the robbery, but that "from the evidence it is reasonable to assume that at least one of the robbers had to have some present or past association with the Institute." This is the first official statement from anyone in

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StuFac Committee May Deemphasize Cumulative Rating

The Student-Faculty committee is now trying to ascertain whether or not too much emphasis is being placed on the cumulative grade as a standard for judging students.

Work is now slowly progressing at a subcommittee level with Professor Patrick Hurley in charge. Nothing definite has as yet been decided, and nothing will be decided until the third Wednesday of this month, when all findings will be presented to the Student-Faculty Committee. It is quite probable, however, that nothing will come of this study until sometime well in the spring semester.

It is felt that overloads and extracurricular activities are not in the least considered in "cums." One of the alternatives presented is a system with no "cums." Here each student will receive his grades in each subject, with no "cums" being calculated.

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Editorial

SUCCESS AND SUCCESSION

With this issue, The Tech ceases publication for both the fa!! term and Volume LXXIII.

The Managing Board of Volume LXXIII looks back upon its time spent with The Tech with much satisfaction, and wishes the new officers of Volume LXXIV the success which we are confident they are bound to achieve.

Calendar of Events

from January 13 through January 20,1954 WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13

Physics and Mathematics Departments. Operations Research Seminar: "Linear Programming-Theory of Simplex Method of Solution." Mr. Hrand Saxenian. Room 6-219, 3:00 p.m.

Electrical Engineering Department. Colloquium: "Dielectrics as Circuit Elements." Prof. A. R. von Hippel. Room 6-120, 4:30 p.m. Refreshments in Room 6-321 at 4:00 p.m.

Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship. Discussion: "Why I Am Where I Am." Room 5-108, 5:00 p.m.

Freshman Swimming Team. Meet with Harvard College. Alumni Swimming Pool, 7:30 p.m.

Varsity Swimming Team. Meet with Harvard. Alumni Swimming Pool, 9:00 p.m.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14 American Chemical Society-Northeastern Section. Symposium on the Organic Functional Group Analysis: "Spectroscopic Methods," Dr. Don H. Anderson, Eastman Kodak Company; "Chemical Methods," Mr. John Mitchell, Jr., duPont Company. Room 10-250, 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. Physics Department. Colloquium: "A Review of Photo-meson Production."

Dr. J. W. Rosengren. Room 6-120, 4:15 p.m. Lecture Series Committee. Film: "A Run for Your Money" (starting Alec

Guiness). Room 1-190, 5:00, 7:30, and 9:30 p.m. Admission: 30

Staff Players of M.I.T. Supper and play reading: "Affairs of Anatole." Faculty Club, 6:30 p.m. Reservations: Ext. 2606.

American Chemical Society—Northeastern Section. Lecture: "Experimental Design in Chemistry." Prof. George E. Kimball, Columbia University. Room 10-250, 8:00 p.m. FRIDAY, JANUARY 15

Mechanical Engineering Department. Seminar: "Brittle Failure of Steel Engineering Structures." Prof. Maurice E. Shank. Room 3-370, 4:00 p.m. Coffee will be served in Room 3-174 from 3:30 - 4:00 p.m.

School of Architecture and Planning. Films on India: "Vale of Kashmir," "Ladhakh Valley," "Glories of Rajasthan," and "A New Horizon." Room 7-437, 8:00 p.m. SATURDAY, JANUARY 16

Varsity Wrestling Team. Meet with Amherst College. Rockwell Cage, 2:00 p.m.

Varsity and Freshman Track Teams. Meet with Knights of Columbus. Boston

Garden, 7:30 p.m. Varsity Basketball Team. Game with U. S. Coast Guard Academy. Walker Memorial Gym, 8:30 p.m.

Informal Dance Committee. Dance. Morss Hall, 8:30 p.m. - 12:00. Refreshments and entertainment. Admission: \$1.00 per couple.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 17 Society of Arts. Popular Science Lecture: "Proteins, the Giant Molecules of Life's Processes." Prof. David F. Waugh. Room 10-250, 4:00 p.m.

MONDAY, JANUARY 18 Acoustics Laboratory. Colloquium: "Sound Waves of Finite Amplitude." Prof. Richard D. Fay. Room 10-275, 2:45 p.m.

Mathematics Department. Lecture Series: "Representation Theory for Jordan Algebras." Prof. Nathan Jacobson, Mathematics Department, Yale University. Room 2-232, 4:30 p.m. Tea in Room 2-290 at 4:00 p.m. TUESDAY, JANUARY 19

Metallurgy Department. Colloquium: "Controlled Anisotropy in Metals." Prof.

John Wulff. Room 35-225, 4:00 p.m.

Mathematics Department. Lecture Series: "Representation Theory for Jordan Algebras." Prof. Nathan Jacobson, Mathematics Department, Yale University. Room 2-232, 4:00 p.m.

Technology Christian Association. Inter-faith Lecture Series. Dr. Benjamin E. Mays, President, Morehouse College, Atlanta, Georgia. Room 10-250,

Christian Science Organization. Subject: "Christian Science Can Help Anyone." Tyler Lounge, Walker Memorial, 5:15 p.m. WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20

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An exhibition of four American painters (Ralph Coburn, T. Lux Feininger, David Park, Emerson Woelffer) will be on view in the New Gallery of the Charles Hayden Memorial Library through January 30. Hours: Monday

through Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.; Saturday, 2:00 - 5:00 p.m. Photographic Salon prints by Mr. Charles B. Buker of Franklin, Michigan, will be on display in the Photo Service Gallery, Basement of Building 11, through January 31.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS The Calendar of Events appears in THE TECH on Tuesday with announcements for the following eight days (Wednesday through Wednesday). Notices, typewritten and signed, must be in the office of the editor, Room 7-204, not later than noon on Thursday prior to the date of publication. Material for the Calendar of January 20 - 27 is due January 14.



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Bob Warshawer, the Ugliest Man on Campus, was presented with his award at high noon last Friday in the lobby of Building 10. The award consisted of a suitable key, "developed through years of research by Alpha Phi Omega." The key bore on its face the picture of an ugly man.

Geology

(Continued from page 1) mer and full time work are now avail-

In spite of this increasing demand for earth scientists, and many attractive situations at home and abroad, the enrollment in course XII has been on the decline for the past few years, possibly because of the fact that students are unaware of the possibilities this field holds for them.



by Paul Abrahams

It has recently been brought to our attention that no one has as yet written a learned paper on the subject of "Vertical Transportation at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology." This is, to our mind, a deplorable situation, since every Tech student is vitally concerned with this mmediate and pressing topic. We would like to describe our experiences in the field, in the hope that we will inspire someone to fill this large gap in scientific knowledge.

There is a form of vertical transportation which is presently in wide use at the Institute. It is a remnant of a prehistoric era and is known as "stairs." However, it is universally agreed that this form is practically obsolete, in addition to being a waste of the man-hours and foot-pounds so precious to M.I.T. students, so we will omit further discussion on this point.

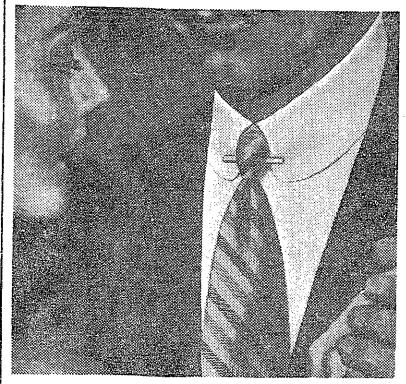
Our first contact with modern vertical transportation at the Institute occurred near the beginning of our freshman year. We happened to wander into Building 6, and noticed what seemed to be an elevator. We pressed the button, and soon an elevator did appear. But when we attempted to open the door, we discovered that it was stuck. After pressing the button again, pumping the door, and uttering various unprintables, we achieved a (Continued on page 4)

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Frosh Swimmers Yale Overwhelms Fencers Defeat

A strong Exeter Prep swimming team gave the Tech freshmen a few lessons on how it should be done as they handily defeated the Frosh, 43-27. Saturday afternoon in the Alumni Pool. The home team managed to gain only two first places, and only one of them honestly as the Exeter freestyle relay team was disqualified in the final event of the afternoon.

M.I.T.'s lone moment of glory came in the 200 yard free-style, by far the most thrilling race of the meet, when John Brosens passed Exeter's Bill Sanborn on the final lap to win by a hair's breath in the time of 2:25.4. Brosens, third throughout the first seven laps, caught Sanborn on the turn for the home stretch and finished strong to pull ahead and give the meet its only real excitement.

The rest of the contest was all Exeter as the prepaters opened the meet by finishing one-two in the 50 yard free-style and kept up the pace by taking first places in the breaststroke, 100 yard free-style - which was won in the sizzling time of 56.9 seconds - diving, and individual medley. No points were marked up in the medley relay as both teams were disqualified for hitting the water too soon in the changing of swimmers. For a similar reason Exeter's freestyle relay squad was penalized, and the Frosh got their second first place.

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conditions.

its name and officers with the government and report all expenditures and income. All their mailings and literature will have to be marked as issued by a Communist front. It will be illegal for any of its members to apply 159 for a passport.

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The Yale University squash team inflicted a 7-2 loss of Jack Summer's squashmen at Payne-Whitney gym in New Haven, Connecticut. Weakened by the loss of Walt Stahl '56, the Techmen couldn't contend with the overall depth of the Eli.

Bad weather proved to be Tech's greatest enemy, as Stahl's flight from Boston to New Haven was forced to put down in Newark. This made it necessary for the number 6-10 men to move up one notch each.

Rudzinski Wins Again

Once again, Paul Rudzinski '54, led the way with a bitterly fought 3-2 win over Yale's number one man. Rudzinski, trailing two games to one, won the fourth game 18-17. He then reeled off eleven consecutive points in the fifth game to clinch the wir.

Number two man Paul Goldin '54 was the most impressive Tech winner, as he trounced Yale's Brooks Raigen 3-0. Goldin, recovering from two early season setbacks, was in command all the way.

Both John Melavas '54 and Raphae! Morales '55, played fine squash, but couldn't come through with wins. Melavas, in particular, put up a good fight until he tired in the fourth game. The remainder of the team was outclassed by their Yale opponents. Hugh Harriman '54, Bob Warshawer '54, Dick Lane '54, Don Steig '55, and Hossein Nasr '54, all suffered 3-0 defeats.

The squashers have their big trip of the season next weekend, when they meet Williams and Amherst. Although both matches could prove to be close, the racquetmen should improve on their 2-2 record.

Rudzinski (M.I.T.) defeated Laughlin (Y) 15-10, 16-17, 4-15, 18-17, 15-10, Goldin (M.I.T.) defeated Raigen (Y) 15-10, 15-13, 15-13. rdner (Y) defeated Nasr (M.I.T.) 15-8, 1, 15-12. immerman (Y) defeated Melavas (M.I.T.) J. 12-15, 15-10, 15-12. Vorkman (Y) defeated Morales (M.I.T.) Workman (Y) defeate 15-10, 10-15, 15-11, 15-13.

Lose To Exeter; Squashmen, 7-2; Clark University Brosens Winner Rudzinski Wins In Opener 22-5

Tech's fencing team under the fine coaching of Silvio Vitale swamped Clark University in a highly auspicious season opener by a score of 22-5.

Avia Togasaki '55, with two victories led the foil men to a 6-3 lead over Clark. Then Ed Somody '55 and Barry Brown '56, shut out their opponents in the sabre event to increase the Beaver lead to 14-4. New England Champion and team captain Brandt '54, together with Dave Springsteen '54 and Jim Ofengand '54, insured the victory in the electrically judged epee event by outscoring the Clark men 8-1 and giving the team a 22-5 triumph. Meet B.U. Wednesday

The Beavers fence a strong Boston University squad in the fencing room in Walker on Wednesday at 7 p.m.

Good, Clark, defeated Dayenport '55, 5-4, Stark '56, 5-4; Togasaki '55, Tech, defeated McQuaid, 5-1, Good 5-4; Stark '56, Tech, defeated Morin 5-1; Morin, Clark defeated Togasaki '55, 5-2: Davenport '55, defeated McJuaid, 5-1; Kubierschky '56 Tech, defeated Morin 5-1; Levine '55, Tech, defeated Morin 5-1; Levine '55, Tech, defeated McJuaid, 5-2,

Sabre
Somody '55, 'Tech. defeated Bank 5-0. Lopez 5-3, Rassias 5-3; Brown '56 Tech. defeated Lopez 5-3. Bank 5-4. Rassias 5-4; Framan '55, Tech. defeated Rassias 5-4. Lopez 5-0; Banks, Clark, defeated Framan 5-3.

Figure 17 annil 3-5.

Figure Brandt '54. Tech. defeated Bailey 3-1. Tetrault 3-0; Springsteen '54. Tech. defeated Tetrault 3-0, Bailey 3-2 Escolas 3-1; Ofengand '54, Tech. defeated Flood 3-0, Bailey 3-1; Terry '56 Tech, defeated Escolas 3-2; Escolas, Clark, defeated Ofengand 3-2.

Vare (Y) defeated Harriman (M.I.T.)
Harvey (Y) defeated Lane (M.I.T.) 15-9,
15-10, 15-13.
McClellan (Y) defeated Warshawer (M.I.T.)
18-17, 15-10, 15-10.
Englander (Y) defeated Steig (M.I.T.) 1510, 15-12, 15-8.

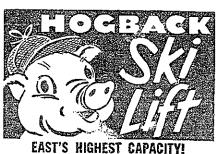
Basketball

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with 13 points, seven of them on free student government that an individual throws. Stan Shilensky '55, who play-Carl Hess '55, 10. Tom Kerr of BU was high scorer of the game with 15 tallies.

B.U. Rallies

With the score 50-45 in favor of Tech at the start of the final period, BU rallied to push ahead for the first time in the game 51-50. 3:34 minutes into the quarter, a see-saw battle ensued, and BU still claimed a one point advantage, 59-58, with but 1:37 min- off the defensive board. Stan Shilenutes left. Schultz tied the score again, sky also did a fine job guarding his making one of two free throws. BU taller opponent, blocking many of his retaliated with a fast break that shots. scored. The Beavers took a shot, missed, and lost the ball on rebounds. With 34 seconds left, Tech pressed too hard and fouled. BU missed both



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WMIT Robbery

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or individuals connected with the ed most of the game at the center Institute was in any way connected position, and Jack Byrnes collected 12 with the theft. Neither the Dean's markers each, while Captain Al office nor any other official arm of the Schultz '54, dropped in 11 points, and Institute have as yet acknowledged

> shots, but retained possession of the ball. Another foul by Tech, with 13 seconds left gave BU the final point, and the game ended with the scoreboard reading 62-59.

> Even though the height advantage belonged to BU, with Tom Kevin about two inches taller than any Tech man. Al Schultz rebounded well, especially

> The next game will be played this Wednesday at Northeastern.



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(Reading time: 31 seconds)

"During the spring of '52-my last year at the University of Maryland-I was interviewed by a number of companies. I was about to get my B.S. degree in accounting.

"It seemed to me that there was a great deal to be learned from the way I was interviewed. Bell System interviewers took their time about job offers. They didn't rush me or themselves.

"I had two talks with the Bell interviewers and then was invited to meet and talk with department heads. Not only did they get a chance to look me over, but I also had an opportunity to get a closer look at their operation. I figured if the Bell System was that careful in selecting its men, it is careful in other things. The interview was the tip off.

"That's why I'm working here in Washington, D. C., for one of the Bell Companies-The Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Company. My first job-after general training-was supervising a billing unit with 20 employees.

"Since then I have assisted on internal audits in all departments. I've helped with special studies for management and have become better acquainted with operations of the entire company. Now I'm working on the general books as an accounting supervisor.

"That Bell System interview has certainly meant a lot to me."

Ed Burtner is moving forward. His experience is typical of the engineering, physical science, arts and social science, and business administration graduates who join the Bell System. He went with an operating telephone company. There also are opportunities with the Bell Telephone Laboratories, Western Electric and Sandia Corporation.



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Top Ranked E.C. Sets Cage Mark; Deke Five Upset

A fast-breaking East Campus five, led by Hilly Prager, set a new intramural cage scoring record by routing Student House, 82-34. Theta Delta Chi upset previously unbeaten Deke, 33-32. Other Scores:

Walker Staff 27......Catholic Club 24 Grad House A 25.....Sigma Nu 14 THE TECH'S Top Ten

(Votes in Brackets)

1.	East Campus II	(96)
2.	Grad House B	(93)
3.	ATO	(79)
4.	Grad House A	(56)
5.	SAE	(55)
6.	Lambda Chi Alpha	(47)
7.	Phi Kappa	(45)
8.	Kappa Sigma	(39)
9.	Deke .	(21)
10.	Baker A	(19)

Lounger

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result: the elevator got disgusted with our efforts and ascended to another floor.

We discovered at a later date that access to the elevator was by key only. We may suppose that the Institute has created a privileged class, known as "The Order of the Elevator Key," similar to England's "Order of the Garter." At least 15 years of association with the Institute are necessary for one to be considered for induction. When a new member is inducted, he is escorted by the entire Corporation to the elevator, where the Director of Buildings and Power hands him his key. His name is inscribed on a large bronze plaque behind a filing cabinet in the janitor's office, and an engraved certificate of membership is given to him.

The Biology Building elevators, however, are open to all, and are used by all except, of course, those who work in the Biology Building. These elevators are noted for their speed, and the explanation behind this is rather interesting. When descending, one presses a button which activates a mechanical saw. The saw cuts through the cable, and the elevator drops. When one wishes to ascend, he presses a different button, which fires eight cannons located at the bottom of the shaft. The elevator is brought to the proper floor by an electronic device which balances the cable-cutting and cannon-firing. Of course, there are a large number of Buildings and Power employees permanently fastened at various points in the shaft, and they retie the cable and reload the cannons when necessary.

In Building 24, there is also an elevator, and its most conspicuous feature is its door arrangement. The doors, instead of moving together from either side, come together from top and bottom. A careful inspection on our part unearthed the fact that on both top and bottom of each door there is mounted a razor blade, which is sharpened daily by a Buildings and Power employee. This arrangement is part of an experiment now being conducted by the Biology Department designed to determine certain similarities between the reproductive methods of amoeba and humans. A random sample of people associated with the Institute are being chopped in half by this elevator, and the idea is to see if each half develops into a new complete organism. So far, I have been told, the date taken appears to be remarkably consistent, but the probable error percentage is still too high for the results to be considered conclusive. The Bursar's Office, however, has been complaining about the high turnover rate of employees in Building 24, so the experiment will probably be discontinued in the near future.

The Building 10 elevator is run by a group of sweet old ladies who daily shuttle between the basement and the fifth floor. They have never been troubled by the fact that on the floor indicator there are the numerals six, seven, and eight. This is because they are not aware of the nefarious deeds that occur late at night when they have left their posts. All those professors who are in charge of courses assemble in the lobby of Building 10. They are brought to the sixth floor by a cloaked-and-daggered Buildings and Power employee. There a corps of trained psychologists work them up into a frenzied state of sadism. Then they are taken to the seventh floor, where the tiniest and most obscure details of their courses are recalled to their minds by a clerical staff. Finally the elevator brings them to the eighth floor, where there are typewriters, stencils, and mimeographs. Here they make up their quizzes for the next day. Finally they are brought down to the first floor with a pile of quiz papers tucked under their arms.

No discussion of vertical transportation at the Institute would be com-Baker A 39......Phi Delta Theta 16 plete without a discussion of the elevator on East Campus. It is located in the Walcott Cage, and moves freight down to the basement. There is a conspicuously posed set of instructions in case of fire on each floor of East Campus. We are informed in strident tones by Mark J. Dondero, Safety Engineer, that in case of fire, residents are not to use the elevators. We dread to visualize what would occur in case of fire were this warning not posted. Every one of the 750 residents of East Campus would immediately mail." rush to the Walcott Cage. As they frantically shuttle between the first floor and the basement, fiery embers would fall about their ears, but, not having been warned against it, they would continue to use the elevator. They would still be shuttling back and ruins about them. forth until the building collapsed in Anyone for a learned paper?

Vogeler (Continued from page 1)

the Russian occupiers withheld the distribution of food, and rigged things so that the blame was cast on the non-Communist political parties, it was obvious that the Communists would gain in popularity, and with the help of the Red Army, in power. Gradually coming to dominate the strategically placed secret police of the newly formed Hungarian government, the Communists were able to take 90% of the vote in the next election (by their own count) competing against seven other parties.

Mr. Vogeler claimed that his arrest was designed as the climax of a fantastic anti-America campaign, and that even the record of his trial (as printed by the Hungarian government) proved by its inaccuracies and contradictions the falseness of the charges made against him. He also stated that the American government could have secured his release through economic sanctions and need not have given in to what he called "black-

Mr. Vogeler concluded his lecture by advocating increased use of "psychological warfare" as a weapon in the Cold War with Communism.

HOW MORAL CAN A VICTORY GET?



or... don't put all your goose eggs in one basket

Once there was a Basketball Team that had Plenty of Nothing. It was so poor that even the Coach hadn't gone to a game all season. Couldn't stand to watch his Scoreless Wonders. So the Futile Five careened through the schedule and hit the road for the Big Game. Due to lose by 45 points, the Experts

But somebody back on campus had a Brainstorm. He whipped out his Trusty Telegrammar (the Telegrammar being a pocket-sized guide to telegraph use. If you'd like one, incidentally, for gratis, just write to Room 1727, Western Union at 60 Hudson Street, New York City.)

Spotting a likely idea he started the wheels moving! So, just before game time, the team got more Telegrams than you could shake a Referee at. Group telegrams from fraternities and sororities, personal telegrams from Prexy and the Dean of Women, hundreds of 'telegrams from students . . . all saying "We're behind you, team!" The reaction? Tremendous. The boys pulled themselves together, went out and lost by only 28 points instead of 45.

The moral is Obvious. The more you encourage a guy, the better he'll do . . . and Giving a Hand by telegram works wonders. In fact, whether it's Money from Home you want, or a Date, or just to send a Soulful Message to Someone Special, just call Western Union or whip down to your local Western Union office.



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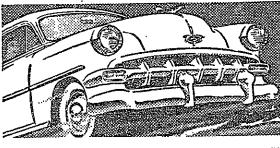
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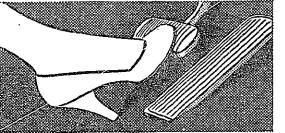
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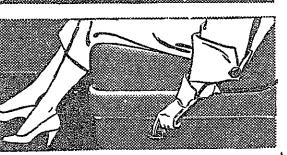


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